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Method For Producing Glass Substrate For For:

Information Recording Medium, Polishing Apparatus and Glass Substrate for Information Recording Medium

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir.

This Response is filed in reply to the Office Action having a mailing date of November 20, 2007. A request for a two-month extension of time to extend the time for response from February 20, 2008 to April 20, 2008 is being submitted herewith, along with the requisite fee. Please debit any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.